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Title: COMPOSITE THRESHING ELEMENT FOR A COMBINE ROTOR

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## Enclosed are:

- (X) The application and combined declaration and power of attorney signed by the inventors.
- (X) 3 sheets of formal drawings.
- (X) An assignment of the invention to Deere & Company, a Delaware corporation.
- (X) A disclosure statement.

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